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1. US REP SHOULD VOTE AGAINST ANY PROPOSAL TO EXPEL
SOUTH AFRICA FROM ITU BECAUSE AS YOU AWARE SUCH
ACTION WOULD BE WITHOUT LEGAL BASIS.

2. WHILE WE BELIEVE ANY MEMBER THAT DOES NOT CONTRIBUTE
ITS FAIR SHARE TO DEFRAISING UNION EXPENDITURES
MAY LEGITIMATELY BE DEPRIVED OF RIGHT TO RECEIVE
CORRESPONDENCE, WE ARE ALSO CONCERNED THAT TO
SUPPORT SOLUTION FOLLOWING RHODESIAN PRECEDENT
(PARA 4 REFTTEL) WOULD BE TO IMPLY CONCURRENCE IN
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INITIAL ILLEGAL ACTION TAKEN BY PLENIPOTENTIARY

REGARDING SOUTH AFRICA. THEREFORE, US REP SHOULD
ABSTAIN ON ANY PROPOSAL TO STOP CORRESPONDENCE WITH
SOUTH AFRICA. SISCO

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